

## **Abstract**

The diploma thesis *The impact of dissolving the post of New York correspondent on the Czech News Agency reporting from the USA* deals with ČTK's text service from the United States between years 2011 and 2014. In January of 2013 the position of a permanent american correspondent was dissolved due to a lack of financial support. Since then ČTK has to depend on external sources of information while releasing news from the USA. The thesis critically evaluates the consequences of this decision and brings analysis describing the evolution before and after the dismissal of correspondent, at the time performed by Zdeněk Fučík. Quantitative analysis monitors the number of news items through the chosen time period and qualitative research method presents in depth description of changes within text service categories. Special emphasis is placed on the evolution of bohemics between 2011 and 2014. The theoretical part of the thesis is dedicated to the relationship, that the USA have with the Czech republic, as well as to a description of the function of correspondent network and news agencies. All analysis results are put into context based on interviews with experts on the topic.